

Directions or links to Maternal Child Health (MCH) Public Hearings:

1.) CENTRAL MCH Hearing

Tuesday, March 23, 2010

4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Worcester Public Library, Saxe Room
3 Salem Square, Worcester, MA 01608

Venue:

Worcester Public Library
3 Salem Square
Worcester, MA 01608

<http://www.worcpublib.org/about/main.html>

Map of building: <http://www.worcpublib.org/pdf/Map&Directory.pdf>

2.) NORTHEAST MCH Hearing

Thursday, March 25, 2010

4:00 PM-6:00 PM

Tewksbury Hospital
Saunders Building, Events Room
365 East Street, Tewksbury, MA 01876

Venue:

Tewksbury Hospital
365 East Street
Tewksbury, MA 01876

Directions

From Boston/Route 128 (I-95): Take Route 93 North to Exit 42 (Dascomb Road). Turn left at the end of the ramp and follow the road for approximately 3 miles. Go past the Little League ball fields (on your right) and bear left onto Chandler Street at the blinking light. Go approximately ¼ mile and turn left onto Hospital Drive. Proceed to the 3rd left turn, look for signs indicating “Visitor Parking”, and enter the lot. Proceed to the Saunders Building, Courtyard Entrance, through the sliding doors and sign-in.

From Route 495: Take Exit 38 (Route 38) and turn left at the end of the ramp. Follow Route 38 South (Main Street) approximately 3.5 miles to Tewksbury Center. Go through the set of lights after BankBoston (on the left). At the next set of lights turn left onto Chandler Street. Take your first right onto Hospital Drive. Proceed to the 3rd left turn, look for signs indicating “Visitor Parking”, and enter the lot. Proceed to the Saunders Building, Courtyard Entrance, through the sliding doors and sign-in.

From Route 3: Take Route 3 North to Route 495 North. Follow Route 495 North to Exit 38 (Route 38) and turn left at the end of the ramp. Follow Route 38 South (Main Street) approximately 3.5 miles to Tewksbury Center. Go through the set of lights after BankBoston (on the left). At the next set of lights turn left onto Chandler Street. Take your first right onto Hospital Drive. Proceed to the 3rd left turn, look for signs indicating “Visitor Parking”, and enter the lot. Proceed to the Saunders Building, Courtyard Entrance, through the sliding doors and sign-in.

3.) Western MCH Hearing

Wednesday, March 31, 2010

4:00 P.M. – 6:00 PM

Holyoke Health Center, 1st Floor Conference Room

230 Maple Street

Holyoke, MA 01040

Venue:

Holyoke Health Center

230 Maple Street

Holyoke, MA

Parking:

There is on-street, metered parking. There is a patient parking lot adjacent to the health center, but it is usually completely full and difficult to navigate. There is also a parking garage on Dwight and Front Streets (right across the street from City Hall). It is only 25 cents/hour and there is only a short walk up the hill (Dwight Street) to the health center (Maple Street).

From the North:

Take Route 91S to Exit 17. Turn left at the end of the ramp to Route 141. Continue through lights to Dwight Street. Continue down Dwight Street until you reach Maple Street (one block past the Post Office). Turn right onto Maple Street. (Or, continue down Dwight Street 2 more blocks to Dwight and Front Streets to enter the parking garage.)

From the South:

Take Route 91N to Route 391.

Continue on Route 391 until you reach the last exit (High Street). Turn right at the end of the ramp onto High Street (it's a one way street). Go down to the sixth set of lights and take a right down Dwight Street one block to the parking garage entrance. Walk up the hill (Dwight Street) past High Street to Maple Street. Turn left at Maple.

From the East:

Take Route 90 (Mass Pike) to exit 6 to Route 291. Continue on Route 291 until the Route 91 North exit. Stay in right hand lane which will bring you to Route 391. Continue on Route 391 until you reach the last exit (High Street). Turn right at the end of the ramp onto High Street (it's a one way street). Go down to the sixth set of lights and take a right

down Dwight Street one block to the parking garage entrance. Walk up the hill (Dwight Street) past High Street to Maple Street. Turn left at Maple.

From the West:

Take Route 90 (Mass Pike) to the West Springfield exit. Take Route 91 North to exit 17. Turn left at the end of the ramp to Route 141. Continue through lights to Dwight Street. Continue down Dwight Street 2 more blocks to Dwight and Front Streets to enter the parking garage.

4.) Boston MCH Hearing

Thursday, April 1, 2010

4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Public Health Council Room

250 Washington St. 2nd Floor

Boston, 02108

Venue:

Department of Public Health, Public Health Council Room

250 Washington St. 2nd Floor

Boston, MA 02108

From the Massachusetts Turnpike:

Take the Prudential/Copley Square Exit. Stay right when driving off the Copley Square exit. You will be on Stuart Street. Go through 5 sets of lights. At the 6th set of lights turn left onto Charles Street. Cross Boylston Street (Traffic Light) and take your next right onto Beacon Street. Follow Beacon Street past the State House and continue down the hill until it merges into School Street (this will be after the traffic light at Tremont Street.) Take a left at the end of School Street. You will be on Washington Street. Our location is 250 Washington Street across from PI Alley and adjacent to Starbucks. A pay parking garage is available directly across the street.

From Southeast Expressway:

From the Expressway take the Downtown Boston exit. Cross Kneeland Street to Lincoln Street. At the lights on Service Road keep going straight to Summer Street. Cross Summer Street to Devonshire Street. At the first lights on Devonshire Street turn left onto Franklin Street and take the first sharp right at Arch Street. Arch Street will bring you to Milk Street. Take a left onto Milk Street. You will come to Washington Street. Turn right on to Washington Street. Our location is 250 Washington Street across from PI Alley and adjacent to Starbucks. A pay parking garage is available directly across the street.

From the MBTA:

The MBTA services Boston and the surrounding communities. Its services include a subway system, commuter rail trains and bus routes. Main DPH Building at 250 Washington Street, Boston is within a 5 minutes walk from the State Street MBTA

station, which can be reached by the MBTA Orange Line. You can access the MBTA web site, which contains a general description, subway and commuter rail maps, and bus route searches, by clicking on the web site listed below the MBTA map.

5.) Southeast MCH Hearing

Wednesday, April 7, 2010

4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

DPH Southeast Regional Health Office

1736 Purchase Street

New Bedford, MA 02740

Venue:

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New Bedford, MA 02740

From the West: Take Route 195 East to Exit 14 (Penniman Street). Follow Penniman Street to the bottom of the hill at the intersection with Purchase Street. Take a right onto Purchase Street. 1736 Purchase Street is about 1/4 mile on the left (after the second stop sign).

From the East: Take Route 195 West to Exit 15 (Route 18 South/Downtown/New Bedford). Take the Weld Street exit of Route 18. Turn left onto Purchase Street. 1736 Purchase Street is about 1/4 mile on the left (after the second stop sign).

From the North: Take Route 24 South to Route 140 South to Route 195 East. Follow directions for "From the West".

6.) Metro Boston MCH Hearing

Thursday, April 8, 2010

4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Needham Public Library

1139 Highland Ave

Needham, MA 02494

Venue:

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1139 Highland Ave

Needham, MA 02494

Directions:

<http://maps.google.com/maps?f=q&hl=en&geocode=&q=1471+Highland+Avenue,+Needham,+MA+02492&sll=37.0625,-95.677068&sspn=48.421237,81.738281&ie=UTF8&z=16&iwloc=addr&om=1>